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*The Property of VISCOUNTESS HOOD ;
The Property of the late MISS E. B. ALLIX ;
The Property of LADY MARY CLIVE ;*

AND

HEIRLOOMS

*From the Settled Estate of LORD BAGOT,
removed from Blithfield Hall, Staffordshire,*
AND SOLD WITH THE SANCTION OF THE COURT

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A FINE DIAMOND NECKLET OF CLUSTERS

The Property of Viscountess Hood;

AN IMPORTANT PENDANT IN DIAMONDS

DIAMOND EAR-RINGS, BROOCHES AND RINGS, GOLD WATCHES, ETC.

INCLUDING

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Thursday, 18th October, 1945

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The Property of the late Miss E. B. Allix

[SOLD BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS]

1 A quantity of imitation Pearls ; a bead Necklet ; six paste Ornaments ; an antique Spanish Pendant set with rose diamonds ; some amber Pieces ; and a box of various Coins a lot

2 A silver Cigarette Box, *oblong* ; a Trinket Box ; an Ash Tray ; and an oblong Snuff Box, with pierced and applied decoration 4

3 A tortoiseshell Cigarette Case ; a Book Match Holder ; a Pocket Knife ; a gilt Desk Seal ; and a gold cased Pocket Knife 5

4 Two gold Long Chains ; three gold Necklets ; and a gold Wrist Watch, on a link Bracelet 6

5 Five gold Bracelets ; two gold heart-shaped Locketts ; and a Sovereign Purse 8

6 A twin Swallow Brooch in pearls ; a crystal heart Pendant with pearl border ; a gold Clef and Bar Brooch ; a pair of gold Gipsy Ear-rings ; and miscellaneous paste and other Ornaments a lot

7 A Bracelet of spade guineas and half guineas, with a larger coin in the centre

8 A pair of diamond Swallow Ear-rings with pearl drops ; a rose diamond lapis lazuli Bee Brooch ; a pearl crescent Brooch ; a gold Locket with lapis lazuli pearl cluster front ; a gold Locket ; and a gold Necklet 7

9 A gold Wrist Watch with a diamond bezel, on a gold curb Bracelet

10 A gold Pen and Pencil Case ; an amethyst quartz Brooch ; another amethyst Brooch ; two gold Wedding Rings ; an antique amethyst cluster Ring ; and an amethyst and diamond half hoop Ring 6

11 A pearl single row Necklet ; and a gold Bracelet, set with three pearls and four diamonds 2

- 12 A diamond Bar Brooch, set in a single row with a pearl centre ; and a small diamond " New Moon " Brooch 2
- 13 Five gold Rings set with pearls, diamonds, etc. 5
- 14 An antique diamond Cluster Ring ; a diamond single stone Ring ; a pearl Ring ; and a turquoise five-stone Ring 4
- 15 A turquoise and diamond Cluster Ring ; and an antique and diamond enamel Cluster Ring 2
- 16 A sapphire and diamond five-stone Ring
- 17 A diamond five-stone Coronet set Ring
- 18 AN IMPORTANT DIAMOND THREE-STONE CORONET SET RING

Sold by Order of the Executor of the late Mrs. V. L. Tighe

- 19 A gold Necklet of snake pattern ; and a Bracelet, similar, with Locket attached ; two pairs of gold drop Ear-rings ; a gold filigree Pendant ; a bow Brooch ; a pair of filigree Ear-rings (*incomplete*) ; and a gold Pendant *a lot*
- 20 A gold Cross ; a gold Thimble set with turquoise ; a gold and turquoise pave set Pendant ; and a Memorial Pendant with a turquoise border 4
- 21 A pair of gold dumb-bell Cuff-links ; a gold oval Locket ; a gold circular Pendant ; an enamel Pendant, with pearl and diamond centre ; a crystal Heart Pendant ; and a gold Keeper Ring *a lot*
- 22 A gold Tie Clip ; two wire Tie Clips ; a gold mounted Seal with an amethyst handle ; and a Memorial Brooch with a rose diamond border 5
- 23 A diamond horseshoe Tie-pin ; a nigger head Tie-pin with a rose diamond collar ; a Heart and arrow Tie-pin ; a gold eagle Tie-pin ; and seven Tie-pins, *various* *a lot*
- 24 A gold and enamel Memorial Locket, with a monogram in rose diamonds ; another with a cross centre ; a pearl strung Ornament, in the form of a Crescent and Spray with topaz centres 3
- 25 Two silver-gilt Bracelets, set with garnets, each folding up to form a miniature Book ; a crystal Cross ; miscellaneous gilt and other items ; a Desk Seal ; and six Scent Bottles *a lot*
- 26 Silver Ornaments, comprising :—various Bracelets, Necklets, Chains, two Cigarette Cases, a Matchbox, and an Umbrella Set *a lot*
- 27 A gold Cross, set with a single diamond ; an Ivy leaf Brooch ; a gilt Chatelaine ; a small gold Coin ; and two pairs of Ear-rings 8
- 28 An onyx bead Necklet with a locket Pendant ; and about twenty miscellaneous items, comprising :—paste Ornaments, etc. *a lot*
- 29 A gold Cross, set with pearls ; a topaz Bee Brooch ; and a gold Necklet with an amethyst drop ; a pearl flower Brooch ; a pair of agate drop Ear-rings ; a pair of onyx Links ; a gold signet Ring ; and a few miscellaneous small Items *a lot*
- 30 An ivory Patch Box ; a blonde tortoiseshell Box with pierced lid ; and a Capo di Monti Box 3
- 31 A French enamel Box with gilt mounts painted with figures, etc. ; and another in the form of an Egg 2

Various Properties

32 An opal and silver Pendant ; two Lorgnettes ; four Necklets, *various* ; three hair Bracelets ; crystal Buttons and Studs with coral centres ; and an antique Pendant with an amethyst and pearl centre and three Drops ; and a pair of Ear-rings, matching *a lot*

33 An 18th Century rose diamond three-stone Ring ; and a pearl cluster Ring with a ruby centre 2

34 Three gold Memorial Rings ; and another with a crystal front ; a gold Thimble ; two silver Thimbles ; and a gold Brooch with a cameo centre 8

35 An antique gold Brooch ; a gold grape vine Brooch and Ear-rings with coral grapes ; a gold circular Brooch with filigree centre ; a gold Necklet with amethyst drops ; and a pearl and garnet Snap *a lot*

36 A gold Long-Chain, with four Pendants ; a pearl and gold Necklet ; and a pair of pearl and ruby cluster Ear-rings 4

37 A gold Bracelet, with pearl set front ; a gold Chain Necklet, the front set with fancy coloured stones ; a lady's Watch-chain with chrysoprase beads ; and a pair of gold and turquoise drop Ear-rings 5

38 Two small gold Watches ; three gold Studs with knot front, one set with an emerald ; three gold and coral Studs ; two gold Shirt Studs ; and six Studs, *various* *a lot*

39 Miscellaneous Items, comprising :—five Brooches, two Locketts, and a pair of pearl and diamond Ear-rings 9

40 Miscellaneous Items, comprising :—five Tie-pins, five Pendants, a Watch ; and miscellaneous small Items *a lot*

41 A pearl set Necklet, with a crescent and spray centre ; and a pearl set Pendant, with a flower centre 2

42 An 18th Century Watch *by J. Tanqueray*, in a gold case, with an outer gold case chased with figures ; and an alternative shagreen Case, with two keys 4

43 Two key-wind Watches, in gold crystal face cases 2

44 A gold Bracelet with a turquoise front ; a gold Brooch with a three-star front set with pearls and rose diamonds ; and a pair of pearl and diamond cluster Drop Ear-rings 4

45 A whole pearl four-stone Ring ; and a pearl and diamond star-shaped Pendant, forming a brooch and hairpin 2

46 A pearl and diamond Pendant, in the form of a flower spray forming a Brooch and hair Ornament

47 A ruby and diamond cluster Ring ; and a ruby and diamond three-stone Ring 2

48 A diamond five-stone half-hoop Ring ; and a diamond double cluster Ring 2

49 A single diamond on a gold bar Brooch ; and a diamond bar Brooch with a large centre stone 2

- 50 A diamond single-stone Ring, in a claw setting
- 51 A gold flexible Bracelet, with peridot and pearl clusters ; and a pearl set flower and leaf Spray on a gold Necklet 2
- 52 A diamond bar Brooch
- 53 A sapphire and diamond three-stone gipsy set Ring
- 54 A Chronometer with centre second stop action in 18-carat gold hunter case ; and a platinum and gold Dress Watch Chain (*incomplete*)
- 55 A LADY'S WRIST WATCH IN PLATINUM CASE, with a diamond border and link sides on silk cords
- 56 A Waltham Pocket Watch, in 18-carat gold demi-hunter Case
- 57 An 18-carat gold Watch Chain ; a 9-carat gold Sovereign Purse ; and a pearl Tie-pin 3
- 58 An 18-carat gold Watch with crystal face and centre second stop action
- 59 An 18-carat gold Dress Watch, in hunter case, engraved with a monogram and an inscription
- 60 A Watch, in gold case, with musical action ; and another *by Ph. Fazy* (faulty) 2
- 61 A gold Watch Chain with Key and Locket attached ; and another in three strands 2
- 62 A fine Dress Watch in platinum case, with a diamond-set edge *by Schot*
- 63 A lady's Wrist Watch, in 18-carat white gold case, with a diamond border on silk cords
- 64 THREE DIAMONDS AND TWO RUBY SPINELS MOUNTED AS A RING
- 65 A PAIR OF DIAMOND DROP EAR-RINGS, each with a large and small stone
- 66 A Pocket Watch, in 18-carat gold case, with crystal front
- 67 A pair of diamond Ear-rings with cluster chain drops
- 68 A sapphire and diamond three-stone Ring
- 69 A pair of diamond three-stone Ear-rings, with pearl drops
- 70 A Necklet of amethyst and gold beads, strung alternately

The Property of Lady Mary Clive

- 71 A French 18th Century Tablet Case, in pink enamel and gold with chased borders, with crystal covered hair and " Souvenir " in gold
- 72 A gold Necklet ; two Lorgnettes ; and a Heart Locket 4
- 73 Eleven Shirt Studs ; and sundry miscellaneous small Items *a lot*

Other Properties

- 74 A gold Ring, set with three black pearls
- 75 A LORNETTE, with tortoiseshell handle set with diamonds in spirals with a ring terminal
- 76 A CIGARETTE HOLDER, in black composition set with a band of diamonds
- 77 A gold Long-Chain of fancy Links
- 78 A sapphire half-hoop Bracelet, with gold hoop ; and a crystal Tie-pin 2
- 79 A PAINTED IKON OF THE VIRGIN, in a fine gold frame, pierced in a trefoil filigree design, with a flower-shaped loop
- 80 AN IMPORTANT PENDANT IN DIAMONDS, WITH A LARGE CUSHION-SHAPED CENTRE STONE SET IN GOLD WITH DIAMOND BORDERS AND LOOP, with fitting to form a Brooch
- 81 A Pendant, with a large peridot centre within a border of whole pearls, the gold frame enamelled in red, with a large pearl drop
- 82 AN IMPORTANT BROOCH IN DIAMONDS, in the form of a four-loop Bow with ends and a button pearl centre with five pear-shaped pearl drops
- 83 A pearl and diamond Pendant, of lace design, pierced and sections
- 84 A DIAMOND RIVIERE, of square cut stones and nicely graduated to a larger centre

The Property of Viscountess Hood

- 85 A FINE DIAMOND NECKLET OF CLUSTERS, GRADUATING IN SIZE TO A LARGE CENTRE, EACH CLUSTER WITH A CENTRE STONE OF SUPERB QUALITY AND BEAUTIFULLY MATCHED

Heirlooms

FROM THE SETTLED ESTATE OF LORD BAGOT

[removed from Blithfield Hall, Staffordshire, AND SOLD WITH THE SANCTION OF THE COURT]

- 86 A SET OF THREE FINE DIAMOND EIGHT-POINT STARS, in two sizes, the largest with a centre of two pear-shaped and two circular cut stones, the small pair with centres of pear-shaped stones, with a frame to form a tiara.
- 87 A LARGE OBLONG DIAMOND, in a collet setting
- 88 A FINE DIAMOND TIARA, in five sections, the centre section with an oval cluster centre within foliate borders and side sections in a crossover foliate design,

Other Properties

89 AN ANTIQUE RING, the front set with an emerald and diamond as twin hearts with a diamond single row border, the gold hoop with a Spanish inscription in diamonds

90 A DIAMOND THREE-STONE CORONET-SET RING

91 A SAPPHIRE AND DIAMOND OVAL CLUSTER RING

92 A PLATINUM WRIST WATCH, oblong, with a diamond border with open link sides on platinum cords

93 A FINE CIRCULAR DIAMOND AS A SOLITAIRE RING

94 A PAIR OF FINE AQUAMARINES AS A PENDANT, mounted with diamond borders as two clusters

95 A pair of large Diamonds, with a ruby three-stone bar centre as a Ring

96 A crystal Desk Seal, with blue enamel and gold mounts chased with foliage

97 A DIAMOND OBLONG-SHAPED BROOCH, in an openwork design with a large emerald centre

98 A LARGE DIAMOND BROOCH, in the form of an Arrow

99 A FINE CIRCULAR CUT DIAMOND AS A SOLITAIRE RING, with small stones in the shoulders

100 A PAIR OF CARVED JADE EAR-RINGS, with pearl and diamond mounts

101 A FINE JADE NECKLET, of graduated beads

102 ANOTHER OF FINE QUALITY, but smaller

The Property of a Lady

103 A FINE SEED PEARL STRUNG SAUTOIR, with pierced diamond mounts and snap, with a pendant of similar design and with a seed pearl tassel with diamond mount

104 A FINE DIAMOND TIARA, in the form of a Romanesque bandeau of laurel leaves (*the sections are detachable to form a corsage ornament*) (*one fitting*)

The Property of Miss B. Whitford

106 A marquise-shaped black opal and diamond cluster Ring

107 A yellow diamond single-stone Ring

108 A button-shaped Pearl mounted as a Ring

109 A blue zircon and diamond cluster Ring

110 A button pearl and diamond cluster Ring

111 A topaz single-stone Ring ; and a synthetic spinel Ring

112 A blue zircon single-stone Ring

113 A large cabochon sapphire single-stone Ring

114 A Dress Set in black onyx with diamond centres, comprising :—a pair of Cuff-links, four Buttons and three Studs 9

115 A blue Zircon Pendant on a gold and pearl Necklet ; and an aquamarine and diamond three-stone bar Brooch 2

116 A Necklet of small pearls with a diamond Snap

117 A coral Pendant with a cameo centre and diamond border with onyx and diamond mounts on a fancy link Necklet

118 A Pocket Watch in 18-carat gold case, with crystal front *by Hamilton, Calcutta*

The Property of the late Mrs. Emily Simpson

[SOLD BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTOR]

119 A DIAMOND FIVE-STONE HALF HOOP RING

120 A cabochon amethyst and diamond cluster Ring

121 A FINE DIAMOND BROOCH, with ruby bar centre and baguette borders

122 A diamond three-stone Ring

123 A pearl and diamond three-stone Ring

124 A diamond single-stone Ring, with small stones in the shoulders ; and a rose diamond Eternity Ring 2

125 A gold flexible Bracelet, set with amethysts and pearls

126 An opal and diamond Pendant, of scroll design, on a platinum Necklet

127 An 18-carat gold Wrist Watch, on expanding Wristlet

128 A 9-carat gold Cigarette Case, oblong, engine-turned, with sliding action

129 A set of six Buttons, in green enamel and gold with pearl centres 6

130 A diamond single-stone Ring, in a claw setting

The Property of Mrs. E. Heywood

131 A FINE DIAMOND ORNAMENT IN THE FORM OF A BOW, with an open cluster centre and pierced arcaded design in platinum, with silk ends (*one stone missing*)

Other Properties

132 A SMALL DIAMOND RIVIERE, nicely graduated to a large centre

133 A Necklet of fine cultured Pearls with a cluster Snap

134 An aquamarine and diamond cluster Brooch

135 A Dress Suite in 18-carat white gold and mother-o'-pearl, with pearl centres, comprising :—a pair of Links, four Buttons and two Studs

136 Two antique cluster Rings ; an opal five-stone Ring ; a silver Necklet ; and two paste Ornaments 6

137 A gold Long-Chain of fancy Links

138 A pearl set Necklet with five flower front, each with a diamond centre

The Property of Major C. Verner

139 A pair of pearl Studs, with mounts to form a Tie-pin

140 A Dress Set of eight Buttons in black onyx, with diamond borders

141 AN 18-CARAT GOLD CIGARETTE CASE, engine-turned with slide action and applied crest, $5\frac{1}{2}$ in. by $3\frac{1}{4}$ in.

Another Property

142 A gold Mesh Purse with a bayonet top

143 A gold oval-shaped Locket ; another, heart-shaped ; a Ring Mount set with rose diamonds ; a Brooch Fitting ; three gold Oddments ; and two pearl Snaps
a lot

144 A silver-gilt Vanity Case, with safety chain ; and a gold Bracelet with a name and date in rose diamonds 2

145 A gold and pearl horseshoe Brooch ; a pearl Bird Brooch ; an amethyst Heart Pendant ; two green enamel Pendants ; two rose quartz Pendants, one with a platinum chain 7

146 A diamond Tie-pin ; a ruby single-stone Ring ; a diamond two-loop Tie pin ; an enamel Brooch in the form of an asses' head with a sapphire and diamond-base ; a rose diamond Necklet Back ; and two Tie-pins

END OF SALE

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